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President Gives Permission to Use His Name as Candidate for Re-Election

Special to Daily Times.
Washington, February 14, (2:44 p. m.)—President Woodrow Wilson today formally announced his candidacy as president of the United States the second term. In a letter to the Secretary of State of Ohio he gave permission to have his name placed in on Ohio primary ballot that democracy may express itself. He asserted that he was unwilling to enter the contest.

VANDIVER FOR GOVERNOR

Special to Daily Times.
St. Louis, February 14, (2:44 p. m.)—W. D. Vandiver, assistant treasurer of Missouri, this morning said he would resign his office to run for governor. He will make formal announcement Tuesday. Mr. Vandiver will challenge rival Democrats to debate issues in the towns of the state.

BIRTHS IN MISSOURI WERE LESS LAST YEAR

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 10.—Missouri slid backward as regards births, during the year just closed, to the extent of 4170 fewer births than in 1914, according to the official figures furnished the state board of health. The returns were footed up today. They show that the total births in the state in 1915 were 69,749 against 73,925 in 1914.

The death rate shows a decrease of 3334, which is some consolation. The total deaths last year were 39,409. The birth rate was the highest in September, being 6195, and the death rate the lowest, 2812, the same month. During the year there were 1625 accidental deaths, 227 homicides and 659 suicides.

Tuberculosis is still the most deadly of all diseases in the mortality statistics. There were, for the year, 1647 deaths from this ailment, 4626 from pneumonia, 3348 from Bright's disease, 2073 from cancer, 636 from diphtheria, 450 from typhoid fever and 120 from whooping cough. Children under two years of age to the number of 1238 were carried off by ailments of stomach.

THE BOYS' FRIEND DEAD

Arlington, Mass., Feb. 12.—John Townsend Trowbridge, poet and author of stories for boys, died tonight. Death was caused by bronchitis, which developed from a severe cold contracted a few weeks ago.

John Townsend Trowbridge was one of the last survivors of the group of authors who made Boston a famous literary center in the first three decades of the last half of the Nineteenth century. Although his chief success came from the writing of books for boys, he also published several novels and volumes of poetry.

Mr. Trowbridge's parents, New England people, were among the pioneer settlers of Western New York, and it was in a log cabin in the little hamlet of Ogden, Monroe County, that he was born in 1827. Although brought up on a backwoods farm, young Trowbridge early discovered the possibilities of supplementing the meager education of his district school by obtaining books from a public library in a nearby town. After a term at a classical school at Lockport, N. Y., he went to Illinois for a year, teaching school in winter and farming in summer. He returned to Lockport and taught for a while, but deciding to devote himself to writing, went to New York City at the age of 19. For a time he met with little encouragement. A year later he went to Boston and soon became well known as an author of stories and sketches under the pen name of "Paul Creyton."

Perhaps the best known of Mr. Trowbridge's verse is the humorous poem, "Darius Green and His Flying Machine," written in 1870. When, forty years later, he first saw an airplane in action, he remarked: "I never dreamed when I wrote that poem that such a thing as a flying machine was even a possibility in my life time."

Among his books for boys the most popular were "Cudjo's Cave" and "The Three Scouts."

MISSOURI'S CORN CHAMPION RAISED 118 BUSHELS ON ACRE

Oscar Linehart of New Hamburg Tells of Cultivation That Yielded \$32.31 Profit

Columbia, Mo., Feb. 11.—Oscar Linehart of New Hamburg, Mo., is the champion corn raiser of the state. He raised 118 bushels on one acre at a total cost, including seed, fertilizer, harvesting and ground rent, of \$38.57. The corn, at 60 cents a bushel, was worth \$70.88 and the profit therefore was \$32.31.

Last spring Linehart enrolled as a member of the Boys' Corn Club under the direction of the agricultural extension service of the University of Missouri. He received instructions from the university as to how to cultivate his crop and special suggestions from H. B. Derr, County Agent of the College of Agriculture for Scott County.

ROCKY COMFORT

Roscoe Davidson was transacting business in Wheaton, yesterday. Literary was well attended last night and everybody reported a fine time.

Mrs. James Lefter and daughter, Mary, of near Simcoe were Rocky Comfort visitors yesterday.

Dr. J. K. Holmes of Springfield was transacting business here yesterday.

Jeff Murphy and wife of near Stella were in hte city, yesterday.

Mrs. Mollie Smith of Granby is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

BLUE RIBBON.

HE WAS FROM MISSOURI

A boy walked into the office of a telegraph company in Chicago and asked for a job. He said his name was "Missouri." The manager chanced to want a messenger just at that moment and gave him a message to deliver in a hurry.

"Here's your chance my boy," said the manager. "The people have been kicking about undelivered messages. Now, don't come back until you have delivered it."

A little while afterward the telephone rang. On the other end there appeared a watchman, somewhat terrified.

"Have you got a boy they call 'Missouri'?" inquired the watchman. "We did about ten minutes ago," replied the manager.

The watchman continued: "That Missouri fellow came over and said he had to go to one of the offices. We don't allow anyone up to this office at this hour and I told him he couldn't go up."

"Yes, yes," said the manager. "Well," said the watchman, "he said he would go and I had to pull my gun on him." "But you didn't shoot him!" exclaimed the manager. "No," meekly came back the response over the line, "but I want my gun back."

HOW TO ATTAIN OLD AGE

The chances of attaining old age are much greater if we live most of our life in fresh country air. Statistics go to show, according to Dr. Dezsó of Budapest, that the fourth generation of the town dweller is unknown. The city child is subject to a number of disturbing conditions other than mere absence of creature comforts, which undermine the constitution by throwing too heavy a burden on the sense organs, through which exhaustion of the central nervous system follows; among these conditions are noise, a perpetual round of hurry, and unending sequences of incidents exhausting the attention, to which are superadded the physical discomforts of vitiated air and effluvia from human beings and waste organic products, besides offensive gases and infection-laden dust. To attain old age we have to relieve ourselves from worry, strains and anxieties, withdraw periodically from the whirl of effortful existence, modify our diet, omit the use of stimulants and narcotics, and spend reasonably long periods of time under pleasant conditions in practical retirement. Above all, amusement should be simplified and accepted rather than sought after. Only vegetable and semi-animal foods should be eaten.—Missouri Ruralist.

THE TIMES WANT ADS.

For Sale

For Sale: Lots on West Cale street. Sidewalks and street lights. Inquire of J. B. Tyler, Monett, Mo. 87 w1 d3

For Sale: 40 acres of heavy timber and pasture land. Or will trade for cattle, hogs, or sheep. W. T. Wright, Peirce City, Mo. 2-18-p.

For Sale: 10 head of cows and heifer cows to be fresh soon; one Jersey bull. Inquire at the Davidson home on West Cleveland or phone 83. 57 tf

For Sale: Good Jersey cow and two year old driving horse; city broke. Call Phone 577. 85 tf.

For Sale: Pure bred Rose Comb Rhode Island Red cockerels, \$1.00 each. Mrs. Albert Gaetz, Phone 908, ring 32. w t3 p.

For Rent: Modern bungalow, vacant after February 15. See Dr. Miller. 90 tf.

Furnished rooms for lighthousekeeping for rent, 2, 3 or 4, 605 Fifth street. 182 tf.

For Rent: 6 room house, 909 Fourth street. Inquire of Fannie Martin's Milliner Store. 86 tf.

For Rent: 5 room house and 20 acres, 13 in cultivation, 7 acres in woods pasture. Phone 88. 77 tf.

For Rent:—Furnished room in modern house, 401 Sixth street. Phone 433. 33tf.

For Rent: 5-room house partly furnished. Inquire at Saxe's Meat Market. 79 t12.

Wanted: Girl for general housework. Mrs. F. P. Sizer, 408 Fifth street. 86 tf.

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